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Elizabeth Thomas married Dr. Archibald Atkinson and had two children: Mary C. Atkinson and Louis Woodley Atkinson.

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Mary Rebecca Thomas, being left a widow, twice returned to her father's house, where Andrew Jackson Vellines sought her hand in marriage, December 1860, she being married three times in the same room at "Laurel Hill," the Thomas home. Of this union five children were born: Leroy Lee Vellines, born 1861; Ella Thomas Vellines, born 1863; Richmond Dillard Vellines, born 1865; Seymour Jordan Vellines, born 1868; died 1885; and Lelia Jackson Vellines, born 1870. Andrew Jaakson Vellines was born 1828 and died 1875.

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Leroy Lee Vellines married Bettie Edwards in 1892, daughter of James Edwards and [illegible] Stringfield, and had five children: Lottie Vellines, Bruce Jackson Vellines, Minette Vellines, Leroy Lee Vellines, and Edwin Gray Vellines. Lottie died 1897 and Leroy Lee died June 1896. Ella Thomas Vellines died unmarried. (Daughter of Mary Rebecca Thomas Stott Vellines and Andrew Jackson Vellines.)

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207 Hillcrest Avenue
Fayetteville
North Carolina 28305
April 24, 1990

Dear Ms. Brady,

Thank you for your nice letter.

Immediately upon hearing from you, I purchased a new Packard Bell typewriter to replace my old manual that, like me, has not stood the ravages of time too well! I feel that I am the epitome of the adage about "teaching an old dog new tricks"; I am utterly confounded by electronics, and this diabolical contraption just looks at me without offering any help.

The enclosed will show you what I mean. Can you possibly use the information? If you can, I have much, more. Everything I have pertains to Isle of Wight County. I was born in Smithfield and lived there until my marriage.

In the meantime, I shall continue to practice and to look for acid-free paper.

Sincerely,

Waverley Irvin Thomas MacLeod

I give the Isle of Wight Library, Smithfield Branch, ownership of all genealogical materials that I send, with permission to copy any information for interested patrons.

Waverley Irvin Thomas MacLeod

THOMAS FAMILY.

Mary Thomas widow and relict of Jacob Thomas, names John Thomas son and heir. May 6, 1768.
Deed Book # 12, page 229.

Indenture of William Thomas, Halifax County North Carolina to Wm. Gay land which belonged to his father Jordan Thomas. Jan.5, 1770.
Deed Book # 12, page 330.

Indenture, Dec. 3, 1770. John Thomas and Mary his wife sold to Benjamin Glover land bought of William Thomas.
Deed Book # 12, page 401.

Willof John Thomas, names wife Mary, son Jesse Thomas, daughter Olliph Vellines, son Jordan Thomas, Merritt and Archer Thomas sons of Jordan Thomas daughter Nancy Holliman, gr.-son Josiah whose father Philip Thomas was dead. Gr.-son Moody Thomas,Gr.-daughters Sally Thomas and Elizabeth Wilson Thomas,Polly Holleman, Mary Ann Vellines and gr-son John Thomas son of Jesse. Legatees John Barlow and Francis Wrenn, Executor John Holleman.
Dated Aug. 29,1801 Recorded Feb. 7,1803.
Will Book # 11.

William Thomas, wife Mary Thomas, son Richard Thomas, son Samuel Thomas. Dated May 10,1741. Recorded July 27,1741.
Will Book # 4, page 356.

John Thomas adminstrator of Moses Exum. Molly Exum orphan of Moses Exum. Dated Sept. 3,1778. Will Book # 8.

Jordan Thomas, wife Mary, youngest son John Edred Thomas, son Samuel E. If two sons die without lawful issue estate to be divided John Holleman's and Jesse Thomas' children.
Dated Feb. 21, 1807. Recorded April 6, 1807.
Will Book 12, page 280.

Appraisment of Jesse Thomas' Estate by Jordan Parr and Armistead Vellines is dated Dec 12, 1807.

Indenture date Jan 10, 1818 between David Ponsonby and Elizabeth his wife of one part and William Thomas of theother part. David Ponsonby and Elizabeth his Wife for and in consideration of $300.paid by said William Thomas confirm unto the said William Thomas his heis etc. the t title claim or dower right in the land which Jesse Thomas decd. died seized and possessed of. Recorded July 6,1818.
Deed Book. 24, page 27.

Richard Thomasin his will mentions loving wife, son John, son William, daughters ____ Haile, Mary Gale, and Sarah Haywood, legatee Moses Exum. Wit. Casper Mintz and William Crocker.
DatedOct 30, 1761. Recorded Feb. 4, 1762.
Will Book #7, page 132.

David Ponsonby was the guardian of William, John, James and Richard Thomas orphans of Jesse Thomas.
Isle of Wight Court Order Book 1810-13, page 55.

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Will of John Thomas dated Dec. 31, 1725. Names loving wife Hannah, son Richard Thomas, son Samuel Thomas, and son Jacob Thomas. Joseph Westrey ? Executor.
Wit. John Williams and John Johnson. Recorded Sept. 1725.
Deed Book #2 (Great Book), page 196.

Indenture dated the 26th of Sept. 1736 of John Thomas of Upper Parish Nansemond County to John Lawrence Jr. 100 Acres. Part of the Patent granted John Lawrence of Nasemond County, deceasded, bearing date June 5, 1678, the said land John Lawrence bequeahted to his daughter Mary Thomas.
Deed Book # 5- page 186.

Indenture of Jordan Thomas, dated Nov. 26, 1744.
Deed Book # 6, page 531.

Indenture of John Thomas of Nansemond dated April 3, 1751 of 105 acres part of a grant of 1,650 acres of land to Richard Thomas, Jonathan Robinson and John Saunders, dated April 23, 1681. the sad Richard Thomas devised 550 acres of the aforesaid land to his son John Thomas and three daughters Phoebe, Elizabeth and Sarah by his last will and testament dated April, 8, 1687. By the death of the aforesaid John Thomas became seized and possessed of the said which he sold to John Daughtrey.
Deed Book # 8, page 379.

Samuel Thomas of Northampton County, Province of North Carolina, deed 100 acres his Father John Thomas gave him by ddeed of gift to Thomas Whitney Gale and Mary his wife, my well beloved Neice of Isle of Wight. Dated Aug. 14, 1754.
Deed Book #9, page 304.

Richard Thomas grants to well beloved son John Thomas with consent of wife Eleanor, 100 acres, Jan. 26, 1756.
Deed Book #9, page 379.

Richard Thomas grants in consideration of love to Wm. Haywood and Sarah his wife, my well beloved neice parcel of land which my father Richard Thomas gave me by deed of gift. Wife Eleanor. June 3, 1756,
Deed Book #9, page 416.

John Thomas married to Mary Moody the daughter of Philip Moody, May 15, 1756. Richard Thomas was the father of John.
Deed Book # 9, page 474.

Indenture of William Thomas to John Thomas 169 acres. Land given to said william Thomas bby his father in his will dated Oct. 13, 1761.
Deed Book #11, page 290

Indenture Of William Thomas to Twaite Vellines, dated March 5, 1765.
Wit. Isaac, Philip and Elizabeth Moody.
Deed Book # 11, page 341.